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Truck, train collide east of city

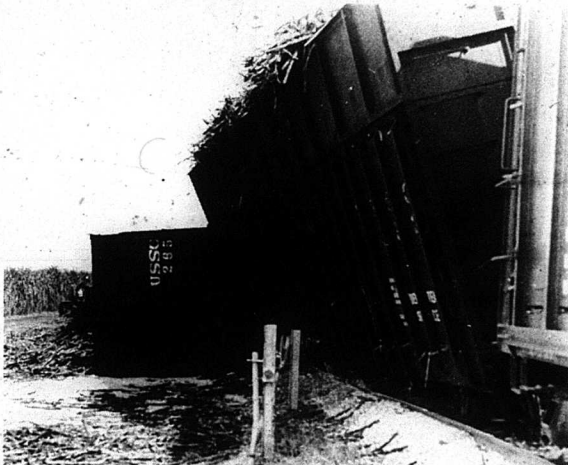
BELLE GLADE - No one was seriously injured in a collision between a train and a truck east of Belle Glade on Airport Road Tuesday, November 9.

According to the Florida Highway Patrol, Larry James Terry, 40, of 816 SW Avenue B in Belle Glade, said he didn't hear the train approaching when he started to cross the tracks. The vehicle he was driving, a 1976 Ford Truck, was struck in the right side by the train at about 10:15 a.m.

Terry was treated at Glades General Hospital and released. He was travelling east on Airport Road and the train was northbound at the time of the accident.

No charges have been filed, and the conductor of the train was uninjured.

The truck was knocked into the canal which runs parallel to the tracks, and the train was derailed in several places.



Staff photo by Jeff Brown

Stauder:

City should buy back pension time

By JEFF BROWN

PAHOKEE - The Pahokee City Council was told by its attorney Tuesday night, November 9, that the ordinance it adopted in 1979 creating a pension for Mayor Duncan Padgett is illegal and that it should repeal the ordinance and buy mayor's back from the state pension fund if it still can.

There are doubts whether the city can purchase the time, however. Councilman Ronnie Graydon said he understood there was an opinion from the state attorney general's office that once a municipality decides not to purchase the back time of an individual, it cannot decide to do so later.

Padgett had served as Pahokee mayor for 20 years before retiring in 1980. Only seven of those years were served under the state pension plan which was adopted by the city in 1973. At that time, the city council decided not to purchase his back time from the state for pension purposes.

In 1979, the city council adopted what council members call "the mayors ordinance," which created a pension for Padgett upon his retirement a year later.

Stauder said the city may have to include the other elected officials who had served prior to 1973 in that ordinance for it to be legal. City Clerk Betty McCoy and Police Chief Carmen Salvatore III were both elected to their terms prior to then.

The city attorney also said the ordinance is illegal because the city is legally prevented from competing with the state pension fund.

"and we know we're in violation," said Graydon. "Yes," said Stauder.

Councilman William E. McKinstry suggested the council buy any action on the pension ordinance or purchasing the mayor's back time from the state until after Stauder determines exactly what must be done to correct the situation.

Stauder agreed that was a good idea. McCoy said she will get the time of service of both her and Salvatore to send to the state so the city can find out how much it will cost to purchase the back time of all three employees.

Salvatore took over as city marshal in May of 1969 and McCoy was elected in 1972.

"It's gonna save the city thousands of dollars by buying it back as opposed to paying it out of the city's funds," said Stauder.

Stauder added that a proposal that the city give Padgett an expense account that he wouldn't have to turn in receipts for was also illegal.

"It's like giving away tax dollars," said Stauder.

Go-ahead given on trash plan

BELLE GLADE - The Belle Glade City Commission Monday night, November 8, gave the go-ahead to plans to install half a dozen trash collection stations in the city.

Larry Thompson of the city sanitation department presented the plan with a drawing to the commission. He said the stations would serve two functions: they would help improve the city's trash service and they would give people a place to take their trash instead of leaving lying in front of their property.

"If there's nothing new. Other places have had, but I'd like to see us get something started too," he said.

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THERE WERE NO SERIOUS INJURIES as a result of this train and truck collision Tuesday. The driver of the truck was treated at Glades General Hospital and released.

The collision occurred at about 10:15 a.m. on Airport Road east of the Sugar Cane Co-operative.

Strang accepts city manager offer, city to review contract Nov. 22

BELLE GLADE - Tommy Strang has officially accepted the city's offer and is expected to take over as City Manager of Belle Glade December 1, if the city commission approves his contract at the next regular meeting November 22, according to City Clerk June Bogioli.

Strang was offered the position about a month ago after Rolfe Wagner announced his intention to seek employment elsewhere. Wagner has since left to assume duties as city manager of Aztec, New Mexico.

Strang is currently employed by Briley, Wild and Associates, but is retiring after 20 years with

the company on November 19.

City officials have been optimistic that Strang would take the position during the month since he was offered the job at a special meeting. He had been offered the same position two years ago but turned it down, choosing to stay with Briley, Wild instead.

Some years prior to that, he had been offered the position of public works director.

He has been working in the Belle Glade area as a project manager in several of Briley, Wild's projects for the city since the late 1960s.

New computer system operates in city

By JEFF BROWN

BELLE GLADE - After almost two years of searching for and selecting the appropriate unit, a new \$87,750 computer system was installed at the city Hall.

The negotiations alone took 120 days," said William Underwood II, the assistant finance director.

The new system replaces an old computer that was about four years old. Underwood said the old system wasn't capable of handling the work load he wanted from the city system, so when selecting a replacement system, he took his time find a more appropriate set-up.

"If we had gotten everything we wanted, it would have cost us about half a million dollars instead of 88 thousand," he said.

The hardware for the new system, purchased from Microdata out of California, cost \$64,950. The hardware includes eight cathode ray tube (CRT) terminals, a line printer, 50 megabytes and a black box which enables Microdata's computer in Miami to "talk" with the city's computer.

The black box can be used for troubleshooting and for modifications to the system, according to Underwood.

The megabytes are hard disks which store the information. The addition of one "chip" can increase the computer's capacity to 128 megabytes. Increasing that capacity also increases other capacities of the computer.

With the current 50 megabytes, the city is operating 10 CRTs (it purchased two others recently) and two line printers. If the number of megabytes were increased to 128, the city could operate up to 48 CRTs and four line printers.

Expansion wouldn't have to necessarily stop there, according to Underwood. If it had to, the city could add another block of megabytes and increase its capacity even further.

Underwood said he doesn't see that happening. "If you use all 128 megabytes, you have an awful lot of information," he said.

The software for the system was purchased from Municipal Management Services for

\$22,800.

It includes programs for the payroll, finance, fund management and utility billing.

Other programs could be purchased and used on the system, such as computer for the police department and public works.

Because of its expansion capabilities, Underwood said he thinks this computer will serve the city from five to 10 years before it has to be replaced.

When the city was making the changeover to the new system, all the data in the old computer

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Briefly

ARC membership dinner set next week

BELLE GLADE - The Glades Area Association for Retarded Citizens will hold its fifth annual Membership Dinner November 17, at the Belle Glade Municipal Civic Center at 7 p.m.

Officers and board members will be elected by the general membership. A slide show and an awards presentation will highlight the evening.

Those interested in attending the dinner may purchase tickets for \$7.50.

Weather report

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Nov. 2, Tuesday	85	64	trace
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Nov. 4, Thursday	83	67	.06
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Nov. 6, Saturday	76	51	.01
Nov. 7, Sunday	76	51	.03
Nov. 8, Monday	80	67	.03

Courtesy of The Agricultural Research & Education Center, Belle Glade

Teen plays on despite blindness

By ALMA HENRY

faith.

He says he can share his happiness with a family "the promises of God...of his presence and strength...really works."

What provided the test of faith was the family's loss of sight when Jennifer, the oldest of three children, was diagnosed as having a rare muscular degeneration, which affects the eyes.

According to Jennifer, at first the family denied the possibility of eventual blindness and all had mixed reactions to the news when she was 15 years that it was approaching rapidly.

"I was confused, I guess," recalls Jennifer, "and a little bit upset. I wanted to cry but I didn't want to cry before my parents."

A former honor student at Florida Christian School, Jennifer said she also covered up her tears.

Eventually she told her friends without telling her parents and their reactions and was quite surprised when her friends accepted her.

Jennifer now openly discusses her blindness and shares her "miracle" through concerts throughout South Florida.

One of Jennifer's compositions entitled "Gratitude" contains the lyrics:

"I give you every tear drop to mold me into what You want me to be, in gratitude to Thee."

She says that what she has been through has strengthened her faith. "It has helped me to realize what it really means to have faith, to trust in the Lord, to lean on Him."

While in Belle Glade, Miss Jolly also visited with the Music and Bible classes at Christian Day School.

Miss Robin Waggoner, music teacher at Christian Day School, arranged to have Miss Jolly visit Belle Glade.



BLIND TEENAGER presents concert in Belle Glade. Jennifer Jolly, a freshman at Palm Beach Atlantic College appeared in concert at the First Baptist Church Tuesday.

Annual turkey shot set for Dec. 10-11

Campbell-Copen plans announced

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dean Hodges (Mary Frances Ramos) of

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son born Nov. 6 at Everglades Memorial Hospital. Arthur Dean Hodges, II weighed in at 8 pounds, 4 and one-fourth ounces. He is the grandson of Louise Hodges of Pahokee and the Rev. and Mrs. Jose Ramos of South Bay.

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Who are you

in *Cahoots* with



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Williams presented members of the staff corsages and a boutonniere. From left to Joe Crane, Chief Technician, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Danny J. Crane and Mrs. Janie Bricks.

New bethel sets fall carnival

BELLE GLADE—The Women and Men Day Committees of New Bethel Baptist Church will sponsor a fall car-

nival on Saturday, Nov. 20. The carnival will be held at the church located at 1101 W.

Ave., A (across the street from Lake Shore Elementary School) from 12 to 8 p.m. Many activities are planned—booth, games, bake sale, food, cake walk and rummage sale.

Admission is free and the public is invited to attend.

Greater New Hope to celebrate womens day

PAHOKEE—The Greater New Hope Missionary Baptist Church will observe Women Day, Sunday, Nov. 14 at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

According to chairlady Juanita Warren, the morning guest-speaker will be Mrs. Louise Williams of Shiloh Baptist Church.

The evening program will close out the annual observance with a Gospel Jubilee. Mrs. Warren said assisting with the program is co-chairlady Lavern Jackson. The Rev. W.M. Boyer, pastor and congregation extend a warm welcome to the public to attend.

School lunch menu

NOVEMBER 15-19, 1982

Monday:
(Choice 1): Smoked Sausage and Macaroni and Cheese or Pizza Italiano; (Choice 2): Seasoned Green Beans, Golden French Fries, Crispy Lettuce and Tomato or Chilled Fruit; (With first entrée only): Hot Buttered Cornbread; (Elementary): Milk; (Secondary): Milk or Milkshake.

Tuesday:
(Choice 1): Spaghetti with Meat Sauce or Hot Dog on a Bun; (Choice 2): Garden Salad, Golden French Fries, Chilled Juice or Chilled Fruit; (With first entrée only): Hot Buttered French Bread; (Elementary): Milk; (Secondary): Milk or Milkshake.

Wednesday:
(Choice 1): Chicken w/Rice and Gravy or The Big Virginian; (Choice 2): Seasoned Green Peas, Golden French Fries, Garden Fresh Vegetables or Chilled Fruit; (With first entrée only): Hot Buttered Roll; (Elementary): Milk; (Secondary): Milk or Milkshake.

Thursday:
(Choice 1): Turkey Tetrazzini or Cheeseburger; (Choice 2): Candied Carrots, Golden French Fries, Crispy Lettuce & Tomato or Chilled Fruit; (With first entrée only): Hot Buttered Biscuits; (Elementary): Milk; (Secondary): Milk or Milkshake.

Friday:
(Choice 1): Ravioli or Toasted Cheese Sandwich; (Choice 2): Garden Salad, Golden French Fries, Chilled Juice or Chilled Fruit; (With first entrée only): Hot Buttered Garlic Bread; (Elementary): Milk; (Secondary): Milk or Milkshake.

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We congratulate the voters for their good sense in keeping the ambulance service where it is now. The ambulance service, like any other government services, needs the scrutiny of a duly appointed or elected board.

Keeping the ambulance service under the hospital authority, which routinely makes decisions affecting the health care of local residents, is only logical.

One of the big decisions the hospital authority has facing it now is the selection of a hospital administrator.

It is a very important job. The authority is seeking a leader, a qualified professional, and a problem solver.

Serious problems confront hospitals everywhere and resourcefulness, integrity, and honesty are important assets to have. The selection of an administrator will have ramifications which could affect Hendry General Hospital for years to come.

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The whole arrangement becomes a charmed circle when subscribers read the ads and shop with the advertisers. Then everybody gets his money's worth.

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- ✓ Letters should be relatively brief — no more than 300 words as a general rule.
- ✓ Signatures are required.
- ✓ No poetry, please.

Editor:

I am a former Hendry County School Superintendent. Jim Edwards' mother and I want to thank you for expressing how you feel about Jim and for seeing him like he really is. I feel the country has lost a strong leader, with enough common sense and education to meet every challenge head on, but I also feel his efforts, and all he did for the people of Hendry County were taken for granted, and not really appreciated by a lot of folks.

Maybe he has paved a better road for his replacement than his replacement had to travel on when he was elected to the position. I only hope his successor will be able to please all the people all the time. "Thanks!" to all his loyal friends for every courtesy shown him while he was there. God Bless you all. Sincerely, Myrtis Whiddon

Editor:

Living in a small town, the size of Clewiston, you hear a lot of bad talk about the local hospital. I would like to say something good. Beginning with the Ambulance crew, Emergency Room, Dr. Kaki, nurses at Station II and Mrs. Biggs, aides, therapist, pink ladies and all the staff that was connected any

way with the care and treatment of Jennett Joyner. We had nothing but kindness and love and concern showed to us by the whole staff. Jennett was a patient for over a month from a massive stroke. Everyone was always there with a kind word of hope and encouragement. For this we want to say thanks. It makes us proud to live in a small town. Thanks to all the

friends and relatives and churches who showed us so much love and kindness. We want you all to know with the Lord's help and the great care from Dr. Kaki and the hospital staff. We are happy to say we brought Jennett home. We will always remember the kindness and love showed to us. Family of Jennett Joyner

**JIM
JONES**

BOILER PLATE



Waiting for pie in the sky

I have never known anyone who was just sitting back waiting for a rich relative to die so that they would become independently wealthy.

But I'm sure that they exist. There is nothing really wrong with wanting to be independently wealthy, so long as its done in the proper manner.

Back in the 1960s, the television program "The Millionaire" had lots of followers. The program struck a responsive cord in folks who thought a stranger might ring their doorbell some day and give them a million dollars, tax free.

Today we know this probably won't ever happen. But many of us have a lucky feeling when we drop our Readers Digest Sweepstakes form in the mail that we are going to win the grand prize.

I think it's a lot healthier situation pegging our hopes for riches on winning a sweepstakes, rather than waiting for a rich aunt to die. To speak nothing of the even bleaker prospects if you're waiting on a rich aunt to die and you don't even have one.

While there might be "pie in the sky" it is usually out of our reach.

You can make the same kind of analogy to real life and your community.

The old cliché that there is no free lunch is true. The business and cultural life of a community doesn't just suddenly get better by wishing it or sitting back and waiting for pie to drop out of the sky.

Progress is made by people working together, planning, and thinking.

It's a fact that bringing us one new, light, clean industry to a city requires years of intensive wooing and working.

A number of efforts have been made in the Glades area over the years to diversify the economic base and bring in industry which is compatible with the agricultural sector.

In Glades County, an Industry Authority was created several years ago and strong efforts made to bring in an alcohol plant. The plans eventually went for naught, but the prospect was exciting.

Now, the Clewiston Chamber of Commerce is backing an effort to help develop Airside Airport in cooperation with the county commission. Results may be years down the road. But a start has been made.

And who can object? Clean light industry which will augment our existing economy can only help all of us.

Sensible planning and foresight can help all communities around the lake grow.

We can either take matters responsibly into our own hands or we can sit back and wait for pie in the sky.

Veterans' Day '82

By the President of the United States of America
A Proclamation

Veterans' Day affords all Americans a special opportunity to honor the deeds of those who sacrificed so much to answer the call to arms during the life of this great country. On this day, our Nation is united in tribute to the valiant men and women who have unselfishly given of themselves to serve in our Armed Forces.

Words alone are insufficient to express our lasting gratitude and admiration to those whose patriotism and courage have ensured our peace and freedom despite threats of tyranny and aggression. Significant disruptions in their lives and other personal hardships have been the price that our Nation's veterans have paid so that the rest of us might enjoy the fruits of justice and liberty.

In order that we pay meaningful tribute to their efforts, Congress has provided (5 U.S.C. 6103(a)) that November 11 shall be set aside each year as a national holiday to honor America's veterans.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RONALD REAGAN, President of the United States of America, do hereby call on all Americans to join in observing Thursday, November 11, 1982, as Veterans Day. I urge both public ceremonies, as well as private thoughts and prayers, in recognition of the great contribution of our veterans to an America that today is an example to all nations of freedom, liberty, and democracy. On this day, let us give special consideration to those who have died in our Nation's wars and to those who have been disabled.

I call upon Federal, State and local government officials to mark Veterans Day by displaying the flag of the United States, and I ask those Government officials to support and personally its observance by appropriate ceremonies throughout the country.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 16th day of Sept., in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eighty-two, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and seventh.

Ronald Reagan

City, county board working together

Last week, the Belle Glade City Commission and the Palm Beach County Community Relations Board finally met eye-to-eye and ironed out their differences.

The board had been existence since 1980 when the county commission created it to keep harmonious relations between the county's various ethnic and racial groups.

Since then, the board members had toured the SW Fifth Street area several times, inviting members of the coastal media to go along. The resulting publicity often caused some hard feelings between the city and the board.

City officials accused the board of grandstanding and even troublemaking. The board accused the city of being insensitive to the housing problems in the deteriorated area.

City officials and board members never met.

Finally, early last week, the two bodies, the Belle Glade City Commission and the Community Relations Board, sat down together in Belle Glade and found out the other wasn't necessarily the ogre the other thought.

The board members, for the most part, proved themselves to be concerned but admitted to being uninformed of the city's efforts in the area. The chairman, B. Carlton Bryant, said that the meeting has changed his impression and he would try to relay that to the coastal media.

The city commission showed itself to be concerned with the problems of the citizens living in the SW Fifth Street area, and discussed the efforts it was making towards improving conditions in the area. It admitted to having limited resources.

Perhaps most important, the two discussed ways of increasing the resources for use in the area, and the board offered to help the city obtain funds.

The two bodies working together could make more of an impact than the two working against each other. We can't help but wonder why the two didn't get together sooner. All the chairman of the Community Relations Board had to do was telephone the city clerk to get things started on the right track.

Computer

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had to be manually put into the new programs. City employees, including Underwood, had to travel to Miami where they would program the data into the new system.

This was necessary because the black box couldn't enable the Microdata system the city was purchasing to "talk" to the old city computer.

Expansion wouldn't make it impractical for the city to change from one type of system to another because of the bulk of data that would have to be transferred, though.

The black box makes it possible for the Microdata system to "talk" to the computers produced by some other companies.

The new system also has several other advantages over the old system.

It can search for a name phonetically if the exact spelling isn't known. This enables the city to track down unpaid bills of utility customers who attempt to skip out on the bills or reconnect to the city utility systems without paying their unpaid balance.

While most computers have to be "talked" to in a special code that the user must learn, the city's system can be entered and data pulled out using the English language.

"That's really nice," said Underwood. "The

English language makes it easier to use."

All users have their own entry codes and can only get into certain parts of the computer's data. Only Underwood has access to all the computer's information.

He also gets a list of everything the computer's users did in the system each day. He can see what operator went into what file and why. If any discrepancies appear in any of the data, he can search these records and trace what changes were made by people entering the computer.

Underwood has been working with computers since 1968 when he was in the army. The first computers he worked on were crude compared to the new city unit. To enter data and make it worked, wires had to be plugged into connections. Later he worked on the computers that are programmed with cards.

Since working for the city, he has helped select two computers: the new Microdata system and the word processing system in the city clerk's office.

The new city system has word processing capabilities also.

It also has several games programmed into it. Of course, only Underwood can enter the system to play those.



BETTY JEAN MEYER, a computer operator II, changes a tape on the main unit of the new computer. The old system sits in the background.

Trash

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He said he already has sites committed in the northwest, southwest and southeast sections of town.

Each station, which he called neighborhood trash stations, would consist of a dumpster for garbage and the trash collection facility.

The trash stations would be made of redwood or cypress with barn style doors in the front for emptying by the city.

They would have shell-rock floors.

Each station could be dismantled if the site it was at became undesirable, he said.

Mayor Thomas L. Altman said he thought the city may end up subsidizing out of town trash sites if it creates the sites, but Thompson said the city would have to deal with that anyway.

"You're gonna have that no matter what," agreed Commissioner George Goforth, Jr. "Ain't nothing you can do about it."

An eight foot square site will cost \$200 and a 16 foot square site will cost \$300 to construct. Thompson said he is asking local civic clubs to sponsor the construction of the sites, and the city would construct and maintain them.

"I think it's a real good idea," said Goforth. "Looks pretty," added Commissioner William

City Finance Director and acting City Manager Frank Anderson agreed. "I think its worth giving

a try," he said.

In other business, the city commission:

- Approved a second interim agreement between the city and the Palm Beach County Community Development Program for the month of November.

- Voted to approve the renewal of the lease on the old city hall annex on SW Avenue E. Dr. Ray Behn, Jr.'s dentistry practice occupies the building.

He was asking the lease be renewed under the old terms, but the city is seeking several changes.

The commissioners decided to ask for \$400 a month because of inflation over the five years he has occupied the building. Behn is currently paying \$250. They also want to reduce the term to three years.

Altman said Behn has improved the building and he would like to see him remain in it. The commissioners agreed that if the terms are disagreeable to Behn, the commissioners and he could discuss them.

- Voted to purchase a television sewage inspection system from Cues for \$39,000.

The city also voted to purchase water meters from two companies.

The city will be purchasing four four-inch Badger water meters from Sunstate Meter and Supply Company in Gainesville, Florida.

It will also be purchasing four six-inch Neptune water meters from Underground Supply Company, Inc. of Fort Lauderdale.

- Agreed to donate the fee to use the Marina Pavilion back to the West Technical Education Center. The fee is seeking to use the pavilion for a get together with new faculty members, according to Commissioner William Grear.

- Appointed several members to citizen participation committees.

J.D. Lee III was reappointed to the Airport Advisory Committee, and Francisco Rodriguez was appointed to replace Clay Speas.

Claude A. Tindall was reappointed to the Port Committee.

William Acree and F.E. Hollingsworth were reappointed to the Board of Adjustment and Dudley Barnes was reappointed to the Board of Trustees of Port Mayaca Cemetery.

David Campbell and Naomi Conley were reappointed to the library board.

Eight individuals were appointed to the Municipal Golf Course Advisory Committee: Grant Averill, Paul Day, Frank Gillis, Jo Knight, John Schlechter and Kathryn Weeks were reappointed and Tim McKee was appointed to fill the vacancy left by Charles Schiele.

- Approved the auction of bicycles and surplus city equipment.

Turkey, ham dinner set

BELLE GLADE—The Belle Glade Business and Professional Woman's Club will be holding their annual Turkey or Ham Dinner this Sunday, Nov. 14 from noon until 2:30 p.m. at the Municipal Civic Center, Belle Glade.

The dinner will feature turkey or ham with all the trimmings, plus a drink for a cost of \$8 per ticket for adults and \$3 for children.

Funds raised from the dinner will benefit the club's educational projects.

For more information call Linda or Juanita at 996-5140.

Class of 73 to meet

BELLE GLADE—The graduating Class of 1973 of Glades Central High School will meet Sunday, Nov. 14, at 4 p.m., at the home of Miss Aloise Hearst, 681 1/2 S.W. 9th St., Belle Glade.

For more information members may call 996-2504.



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Fraternity plans disco

BELLE GLADE—The Omega Psi Phi Fraternity is sponsoring a disco party, Saturday, Nov. 13, at the Belle Glade Civic Center, located across from the Glades Central football field.

Tickets are now on sale from any member of the fraternity and also at the Real Deal Record Shop. Tickets are \$5 per person.

Person wishing to get in at the door for \$4 can donate a canned good to the fraternity. Sherry Lee Clark, a member to the fraternity said the canned goods donated will all go into a canned goods basket, which will be distributed to needy families in the community.

For tickets information contact Clark at 924-5882, or Barry Carigan at 996-8290.

Car wash planned

BELLE GLADE—Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity is sponsoring a car wash Saturday at the Plaza Shell Service Station.

Horace Dozier, reporter for the organization said the men of Kappa Alpha Psi will wash cars starting at 8:30 a.m., and will wash cars throughout the day.

The cost of the car wash is \$3 and includes both interior and exterior cleaning.

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Glades Day School girls volleyball team sets record

The Glade's Day School Girl's Varsity Volleyball Team set a new school record of 15-5 after finishing second in the 12 Class 1A District Championship.

A match against Benjamin, on Friday, November 5 at the Benjamin School in North Palm Beach cost them the district title.

Benjamin never lost control of the game despite the consistent play on the part of Glade's Day. The Gators had some "good shots," according to Coach Rita Schoenfeld, but the competition was "very tough."

We're looking forward to next year, when some of the girl's junior varsity team with their 6-0 season record will help to fill in the varsity ranks," said Schoenfeld. "It will be another chance to use the determination and team play that we had this year."

The starting team was comprised of 6 seniors: Judi Austin, Lulu Blanchard, Mary Lu Blanchard, Laureale Green, Sheila Lashley, Michelle Olden, and one sophomore Jamie Wills. The varsity roster included five supporting players: Yvonne Bowles, Amy Cresh, Melanie Swager, Becky Teets and Mary Lynn Thompson.

Volleyball has only been a competitive sport at Glade's Day School for four years and each year has brought a better season record. They have come up from the 12-2 record of 1979,

and both Coach Schoenfeld and Assistant Jan McCarthy were very pleased with the team's performance this year.

"The team this year is not as tall as last year's team, but it is a little more aggressive," said Schoenfeld. "We're a low-key team but we take care of business."

This was evidenced in the Thursday night semi-finals when the Gators fought back from an 8 point deficit to win the game and snuff out St. Edwards chances for the district crown.

The win qualified the team for the final match that took place at the Benjamin School on Friday night.

Paula Anderson named all-conference

BELLE GLADE -- Former Christian Day School athlete Paula Anderson has been chosen unanimously as a member of the Southern Volleyball Conference All-Conference Team. Anderson, the daughter of Hubert and Joan Anderson of



Staff photo by Alma Henry

CLEARING OUT SALE. The Pink Ladies Auxiliary of Everglades Memorial Hospital will hold a clearing out sale on the front lawn of the hospital on Nov. 16. Displaying

many of the sale items are from left to right, Mrs. Tommie H. DuBose, Mrs. Beulah Culbertson, Mrs. Ilmae Lampi and Mrs. Alice Spooner.

Pink Ladies plan sale

PAHOKEE--Big clearing out sale Tuesday on the front lawn of Everglades Memorial Hospital.

The Pink Ladies have slashed the prices for many items carried in their gift shop for this annual event.

Mrs. Ilmae Lampi, president of the Auxiliary said the sale will be held Tuesday, Nov. 16 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Among the many items on sale will be stuffed animals, mugs, boxes, candles, toys, jewelry, baby silver and many more items.

Mrs. Lampi said auxiliary members Mrs. Tommie H. DuBose, Mrs. Beulah Culbertson, and Mrs. Alice Spooner are marking down the sale items this week.

Beta Sigma Pi meets

BELLE GLADE--Mrs. Rosie Buchanan, President, presided at the meeting of Xi Iota Alpha, Beta Sigma Pi, on October 19, at the home of Mrs. Glenda Mikovsky.

Mrs. Buchanan reviewed the number of points for various Planning activities on the Yardstick of Beta Sigma Phi.

Mrs. Vivian Miller was in charge of the program. She discussed Home Planning and the ways the home should meet the needs

of those living there. Members present: Rosie Buchanan, Mary Francis Burke, Pam Campbell, Naomi Conley, Anna Mae Chapman, Janis Fiehs, Joy Gates, Mickey Harris, Glenda Mikovsky, Vivian Miller, Echo Painter, Linda Soto, Linda Steele and Mary Evalyn Wilson.

On November 2, the Sorority met at the home of Mrs. Naomi Conley, with Mrs. Rosie Buchanan, President, presiding.

Mrs. Joy Gates gave a program on "Lives of Purpose." She discussed the biography of Maria Currie and the contributions they made to society. She asked the members to think about their purpose in life and the contribution they are making to society.

Members present: Rosie Buchanan, Mary Francis Burke, Naomi Conley, Anna Mae Chapman, Janis Fiehs, Joy Gates, Mickey Harris, Vivian Miller, Echo Painter, Linda Soto, Linda Steele, Sandy White and Mary Evalyn Wilson.

Friendship Club meets

BELLE GLADE--The Friendship Women met for their October meeting at the home of Mrs. Lucile Henry, 1257 Vaughn Cr., Belle Glade.

Following the business meeting, the club members were served dinner by hostesses Mrs. Geraldine Killingworth and Mrs. Henry.



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Sports

Glades Day School beaten by No. 1 Frostproof

BELLE GLADE—One week after clinching the district 7A title with a shutout over Benjamin, the Glades Day School Gators were quickly brought down to Earth when number one ranked Frostproof trounced them 33-6.

Frostproof dominated the game in almost every category, holding the Gators to just 85 yards passing and 62 on the ground. Frostproof forced Gator turnovers, intercepting one of Raul Garcia's 16 pass attempts, and recovering three of the Gators' four fumbles.

The Gators' only six points of the game came in the third quarter with Frostproof up 27-0. Mike Schlechter returned a kick-off 94 yards for the

touchdown.

Frostproof had the game won in the first quarter when it scored a touchdown and an extra point, taking the lead 7-0.

At half-time, the game was still in reach of the Gators, with Frostproof up 13-0. Any hopes of catching their opponents were dashed in the third quarter when Frostproof ran up 14 more points and gave up only six.

A touchdown put the cap on a 33-6 victory in the fourth quarter.

Brian Lohmann led the Gators on the ground with 37 yards in 10 carries, while Frostproof's Alonzo Smith carried the ball 31 times for 215

yards.

Raul Garcia completed five of 16 passing attempts for 66 yards and lost the ball in one interception.

Frostproof completed three of eight passing attempts for 66 yards and lost the ball in four interceptions, one of two areas the Gators led the game.

The Gators also led in the penalty category, losing only 15 yards in seven penalties.

The Gators' three punts averaged 34 yards and Frostproof punted once for 44 yards.

"I think we left our game in Belle Glade," said Gator Coach Byron Walker. "We weren't emotionally prepared to play the number one team in the state, and when you play a team of their calibre, you better be emotionally prepared."

"We seemed more worried about the cold weather than playing football. Sad but true. They (Frostproof) were at their best and we were at our worst," he added.

This week, the Gators travel to Moore Haven to take on the Terriers. Walker and the Gators saw the Terriers at the jamboree over Labor Day weekend at Glades Day.

"We expect a good ball game. They give us one every year," said Walker. "They have a good strong running game."

He doesn't intend to change the team's strategy from what's been bringing it success all year.

"We'll run the ball off tackle," he said, adding that he hopes to bring back some of the respect for the defense that was diminished by last week's game.

Next week, the Gators end the regular season against Melbourne Central at home.

Raiders lose homecoming

BELLE GLADE—The Glades Central Raiders playing on a wet, slippery field lost their annual Homecoming game against Fort Pierce Westwood Friday.

The Panthers handed the Raiders their third loss of the season. Fort Pierce won the game 20 to 13.

Junior halfback Kelvin Nedd's 33 yard touchdown run on a second down 23 play broke a fourth-quarter tie and gave the Panthers the Suncoast West Conference victory.

Glades Central jumped to a 13-0 lead in the first quarter as linebacker Tony Moore set up two touchdowns by blocking punts. After the first of the blocks, Raul Garcia's Eric Smith passed 28 yards to Willie Speed to set up Randy Rutledge's 7 yard scoring run. Rutledge led the Raiders with 68 yards on 15 carries.

Moore scored the Raiders' second touchdown, blocking a punt near the 20 yard line, picking up the ball on the 12 and running it in.

Westwood cut the lead to 13-0 after recovering a fumble, one of four Glades Central turnovers, as junior flanker Robert White caught a 15 yard pass from quarterback Curt Boyd.

The Panthers led the game in the third quarter when 1 yard run by Marlon Simpson.

The winning touchdown drive was set by another Raider turnover, one of two interceptions

thrown by Smith, that gave the Panthers the ball on Central 35.

Three plays later the Panthers went in for the winning touchdown.

The Raiders will host the Pahokee High School Blue Devils Friday night at 8 p.m.

Glades Sugar edges Gold Coast

BELLE GLADE --

Glades Sugar continued climbing up in the winter softball standings with three victories last week.

Glades Sugar beat Everglades Farm Equipment 8-6 in 12 innings when Dwayne Doney and Mike Frazier drove in the winning and insurance runs.

American Legion was shut out by the summer league's A Division champions 11-0 and Glades Sugar completed the week with a 4-2 victory over Gold Coast Chemical.

Frazier started Glades Sugar's first rally against Gold Coast with a single to lead off the second. He was followed by Keyak Ruiz who also singled.

Rosario advanced the runners with a fly into center, and Pat Masters walked to load the bases with one out.

The runners scored with when Mosley grounded to short.

In the bottom of the inning, Gold Coast Chemical scored a run to cut the lead in half.

Billy Anderson walked to lead off the inning. He advanced to second when Billy Sanchez grounded to the pitcher and Chuck Anderson singled to bring him home.

Ken Schlechter singled to keep the inning alive, but John Hood flew out

to left and Anderson was caught off base for the final out of the inning.

In the top of the third, Glades Sugar put the winning run across the plate. Mike Haddon and Darrell Collier hit back to back singles to lead off the inning, and Dwayne Doney knocked them home with a single.

At the end of the inning, the score was 4-1. Gold Coast came back with a run in the bottom of the fourth, but it wasn't enough.

Mike burkett hit a lead off single and was driven around to the plate off of singles by Ron Pittman and Billy Anderson.

The 4-2 score held fast through the rest of the game although Gold Coast Chemical loaded the bases for a three-out threat in the bottom of the seventh.

With two out, Chuck Anderson singled and Ken Schlechter reached base immediately after him. John Hood reached first on an error by the shortstop to load

the bases, but the next batter grounded out to the second baseman for the final out of the game.

In other action, Angler's Marina is protesting a 9-7 loss to Mac Sod.

The game is the difference between first and second place for Angler's and Mac.

A game between Angler's and Gold Coast Chemical was called in the fourth inning due to lightning problems.

Mac Sod defeated Everglades Farm 6-4.

Pahokee Garden Club to meet

Pahokee Garden Club will meet Nov. 16 at 10 a.m. in the Fla. Federal Community Room.

Mrs. Diane Whiteside Foster will give a presentation on Begonia and succulents culture. Members are reminded to bring their recipes.

Pahokee drops 2nd game in a row

PAHOKEE—The Pahokee High School Blue Devils dropped their second game in a row Friday night, with a loss to the Forest Hill Falcons.

Ben Frazier scored on a school record 89 yard run from scrimmage as Forest Hill won for the second time this season, beating the Devils 20-6.

The Devils, won 4-4 for the season, will face the Glades Central Raiders Friday night on the Raiders field.

The Falcons and Pahokee both scored in the second half after going scoreless during the first quarter of play.

The Falcons also got touchdowns from quarterback Chuck Hooker on a 1 yard run and on a 14 yard pass from Hoker to Mark Murray.

A Wilbur Ramos punt had backed Forest Hill to the Pahokee one-yard line in the second quarter. On second and 10, and with the Blue Devil defense jamming to the middle, Frazier took off around the end. He cut back at the 30, got a block from Murray, and sprinted untouched to the end zone. Frazier finished the night with 143 yards rushing.

The Falcons also scored the games' first touchdown, following a Pahokee error. Ramos dropped back to punt at the 30, so the map sailed over his head. The Falcons' D.J. Ruffa recovered at the Blue Devil one-yard line.

A quarterback sneak by Hooker failed on the first down, but he scored one play later. The conversion failed and Forest Hill led 6-0.

Pahokee tied the game later in the second quarter as Antonio Wilson passed 47 yards to Walter Johnson for a touchdown. The Blue Devils also failed on the conversion try, and the score was tied 6-6 at halftime.

The 99-yard run gave Forest Hill a 12-6 in the fourth quarter. Murray's touchdown catch culminated a 49-yard scoring drive later in the quarter to complete the scoring.

Detectives named to Belle Glade force

BELLE GLADE—Two new detectives have been recently named to the Belle Glade Police Department's Investigative Unit, according to Coordinator

Ray Swardford and Albert Dowdell, both veteran officers with the force, assumed their new duties two weeks ago.

Dowdell, 28, has been with the force since August 1980.

He moved here soon after his birth in the Hamilton, New York, and has lived here since.

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Brookstone Sour Cream 8 Oz. Cup **49¢**
Minute Maid Orange Juice ½ Gal. Ctn. **\$1.29**
Pillsbury Choc. Chip Cookies 16 Oz. Roll **\$1.39**

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Extra Fancy Washington Red Delicious Apples Lb. **49¢**
California Seedless Grapes Lb. **79¢**
Iceberg Lettuce Head **49¢**
Tender Florida Green Beans Lb. **49¢**
Western Basc Pears Lb. **39¢**
Fresh California Broccoli Bunch **79¢**
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Apple or Peach Pot Ritz Pies 26 Oz. Pkg. **\$1.29**
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Shurfine Orange Juice 12 Oz. Can **79¢**
Shurfine Cut Green Beans 10 Oz. Pkg. **49¢**

Van Camps Hominy 20 Oz. Can **39¢**
Van Camps Spanish Rice 15 Oz. Can **49¢**
Aluminum - Heavy Duty - 18" Reynolds Foil Each **\$1.09**
French's Mustard 24 Oz. Glass **79¢**
Kraft Deluxe Mac. & Cheese 14 Oz. Box **99¢**
Glad Trash Bags 20 Ct. Box **\$2.19**
Shurfine Peanut Butter 18 Oz. Can **\$1.19**
Shurfine Cut Green Beans 3 16 Oz. Cans **\$1.00**
Shurfine Sweet Peas 17 Oz. Can **39¢**
Kraft Peanut Brittle 12 Oz. Box **99¢**

Shurfine VEGETABLE OIL
69¢ 24 Oz. Btl.
Limit 1 Bottle

Duncan Hines CAKE MIX
89¢ 18 Oz. Box

Niagra Spray Starch 22 Oz. Can **99¢**
Masala Marina 5 Lb. Bag **\$1.99**
Town House Keebler Crackers 16 Oz. Box **\$1.29**
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THRIFTWAY OF PAHOKEE
Limit 1 Coupon Per Customer

Hunts CATSUP
32 Oz. Btl. **69¢**
Limit 1 W/Coupon and \$7.00 Or More Food Order

COUPON SAVINGS!
THRIFTWAY OF PAHOKEE
Limit 1 Coupon Per Customer

Dixie Crystal SUGAR
5 Lb. bag **99¢**
Limit 1 W/Coupon and \$7.00 Or More Food Order

Bumble Bee TUNA
Bumble Bee Chunk
6½ Oz. Can **79¢**

COCA COLAS
67 Oz. Btl. **99¢**

Shurfine PAPER TOWELS
Jumbo Roll **49¢**

Pillsbury FLOUR
5 Lb. **79¢**
Limit 1 w/7th Order
or more excl. cigarettes

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Neighbors

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1982



Jogger runs for American youth, visits Glades area

By BILL BRYANT

Rob Sweetgall has been "on the run" since he left Washington, D.C. on Oct. 9. He's already run 1,100 miles, but still has 8,900 miles to go before he finishes his journey.

Sweetgall, 34, of Newark, Del., plans to run 10,000 miles for a program called "Run for American Youth." The program is sponsored by the Foundation for the Development of Cardiovascular Health, Kiwanis International, Gore-Tex, Lyons Studios, Ross Labs and Reebok (running shoes), according to Sweetgall. Sweetgall is a founding director of the Foundation for the Development of Cardiovascular Health. He said he formerly worked as a chemical engineer for Dupont Corp., but decided to devote all his time to cardiovascular health after several members of his family fell victim to heart disease.

As he sat sipping a cold drink at Donnelly's Restaurant in Clewiston Tuesday morning, Sweetgall, who has been jogging for 12 years, ex-

plained that the purpose of the run is to "emphasize the importance of exercise and physical fitness to junior high and high school students across the United States."

Sweetgall said he and his partner Eric Conrad, plan to stop at one school a day during the trip and give a 45-minute slide/lecture presentation on physical fitness to the students using film clips collected during their journey. Conrad accompanies Sweetgall in a van equipped with audio/visual equipment while Sweetgall is running.

Sweetgall pointed out that he uses a run/walk technique and said, "I try not to think about how many miles I have left to go. Instead, I think about how many miles I have already run," adding that "I just take one day at a time."

Averaging 40 miles a day, Sweetgall is a half a day ahead of schedule, he said. His longest run in one day is 60 miles and his shortest is 26 miles.

He will rotate 15 pairs of running shoes during the trip.

Explaining his route, Sweetgall said he left from Washington, D.C. on Oct. 9. He will run down the east coast of the United States, across Louisiana and Texas to the California coast, up the west coast to Oregon, along the Great Lakes to New England and end of back in Washington, D.C. in July, 1983.

A typical day for Sweetgall, he explained, begins at 5 a.m. with a breakfast of two cans of Ensure, a completely balanced liquid nutrient. He hits the road at 5:30 a.m. and runs for about three hours before stopping for a second breakfast. He runs a while longer and then stops about 11 a.m. to lecture at a school. After lecturing, he takes a rest break until about 4 p.m. Then, he runs from 4 p.m. until about 8 p.m.

So far, Sweetgall related that the hardest part of his journey has been the hills in Virginia and

the curved roads with steep banks near Savannah, Ga.

"Running at night, I didn't dare step off the pavement near Savannah," he said. "It was very hard on my feet."

The rain has not stopped Sweetgall yet, he pointed out that he puts on a Gore-Tex laminated, jogging suit when it rains and plans to wear it this winter.

Sweetgall said he was going to run to Moore Haven and then ride back to Clewiston Tuesday afternoon. He called the process, "banking miles."

Sweetgall plans to spend the night in Clewiston Tuesday and visit Clewiston Middle School or Clewiston High School on Wednesday for a slide/lecture presentation.

"I'm just going out for a little 15 mile jog now," Sweetgall told the waitress as he was leaving Donnelly's.

Mrs. Ridgill gets 'roasted'

Mrs. Dorothy Ridgill, who is retiring after 11 years as Hendry County General Hospital (HGH) administrator, was "roasted" Sunday night at John B. Boy Auditorium by friends and employees of HGH.

Her staff at HGH rounded up a fantastic platform of "roasters," who were in rare form and really showed the "roastee" how much she was appreciated.

The roasters included Ellie Hough, Dan McCarthy, Linda Reecer, Annie Parker, Lionel Beatty, Mildred Cox, John Perry, Norma Jean Beardsley and Dr. J.D. Forbes. T.R. Myers was the master of ceremonies for the event.

Hilarity rang throughout the rafters at John Boy Auditorium and combined with good food, a fun time was had by all.

Preceding the roast, a supper of steak, baked beans, tossed salad, corn on the cob, rolls, dessert, tea and coffee was served for the approximately 165 persons who attended the "roast."

A surprise attack came from the honored guest in the form of a Last Will and Testament, which was left to Mrs. Ridgill's employees.

Hendry County administrator Lionel Beatty and Dr. Martha Valiant each won a basket of fruit in a drawing for door prizes near the end of the roast.

All proceeds from the roast went to the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) fund of the hospital. Mrs. Mildred Cox, a member of HGH's Pink Ladies auxiliary, presented Mrs. Ridgill with a check for \$6,000 toward the ICU and Dr. A. Karim Kaki presented a \$500 check.

Friends of Mrs. Ridgill presented her a silver platter during the roast. It was inscribed: Dorothy Ridgill 1971-1982

From Your Friends at Hendry General Hospital



A DISGUISED Carol Dooley presents a bouquet of flowers to Mrs. Ridgill.

PHOTOS BY BILL BRYANT



THE "ROASTEE" (second from right) is served a steak. The cooks are Tim Hough (right) and Pat Hough (left).



ALL THE way from France, Ellie and Christine Broussier have pedaled across the United States. This week, they have

been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pape as they come to the end of their nine-month journey.



MRS. RIDGILL laughs at a barb from one of the roasters. At

right is John Perry, HGH auditor.



LANETTE LACY portrayed a Channel 12 TV news reporter during the roast. The skit was in regard to an unannounced visit to the hospital earlier this year by a WPEC TV news team.



ROGER HOLBROOK dropped the box as he was bringing Mrs. Ridgill what appeared to be a TV for a gift. Actually, the box only contained nuts and bolts.



A PAIR OF SHOES was willed to Carol Dooley in Mrs. Ridgill's Last Will and Testament. Mrs. Ridgill said Carol could wear the shoes at the hospital and people would scatter when they heard her coming down the hall.

French couple bicycle across U.S., pause in Clewiston

Back in February Ellie Broussier, 27, and his 24 year old wife, Christine, asked Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pape if they could spend the night in their pasture.

It is not everyday that a married couple from France intent on bicycling across the United States stops at the Pape household and asks for camping privileges.

So Pape agreed and became privy to a unique story.

The Broussiers, natives of Royan, France, began planning to tour the United States three years ago. They didn't necessarily

plan to see the country from a bicycle seat, but it turned out to be the most economical way to travel.

Earlier this year they took leave of their jobs - he as an agricultural equipment salesman and she as a sporting goods store clerk - and flew to the United States to begin their journey.

Carolyn Pape recalls that the Broussiers English would improve greatly over the next nine months as they visited 10 states and Mexico, traveling as far as San Francisco and Colorado.

Among the sights

which impressed the young French couple most were the Grand Canyon and Yosemite National Park.

"Americans are very friendly and the country is beautiful," said Ellie Broussier. The Broussiers had few problems during their trip, even after putting 6,000 miles on their bicycles.

They hope to return to the United States to resume their travels some day.

But their immediate plans are to travel on to Miami then fly to Peru and travel across South America.

Glades schools enter academic games

BELLE GLADE-- Seventy-two West Area Academic Games participants traveled to Palm Beach Junior College on Wednesday, Oct. 26 to compete in rounds five and six of the Language Arts competition. These students competed against students from the coastal area schools and Martin County Schools. Results of team standings for the West Area Schools are as follows:

Glades Day in first place in the senior division with 146 points

and Pahokee Jr. Sr. High second place with 136 points.

Glades Day is also listed second in the middle division with 153 points. The Glades area had no schools to finish in the top three positions in the elementary division.

In individual standing a score of 36 would be a perfect score after six rounds of play.

According to Mrs. Diane Seider, Chad Hood, of Glades Day School has a perfect score in the middle division.

Carmen Salvatore of Pahokee has a score of 35 points.

In the Senior Division, Janet Clayton of Glades Day has a score of 35 and Eddie Mikovsky also of Glades Day has a score of 34.

In the Elementary division, Johanna Jacks and Adam Salvatore are tied with 34 points.

Mrs. Seider said the next round of play will be held Nov. 16 at Palm Beach Junior College. The final rounds for Language Arts will be held Nov. 23 at the junior college.



DR. A.K. KAKI (right) presents a check for \$500 to Mrs. Ridgill toward a new ICU at Hendry General Hospital. Mrs. Mildred

Cox, a member of the Pink Ladies auxiliary, also presented a \$6,000 check to Mrs. Ridgill for the ICU.



AN INSCRIBED SILVER PLATTER from the HGH staff was presented to Mrs. Ridgill at the close of the roast. At right is Lillian Martel, who made the presentation.

Gove bus drivers honored

BELLE GLADE -- Gove Elementary's bus drivers were honored Wednesday, Oct. 27 with a breakfast given by the cafeteria staff. According to Velma Glass, cafeteria manager, the bus drivers were honored for "taking such good care of our children. We wanted to show our appreciation to them for getting the children here safe and sound every day," she said.

Assistant Superintendent Sharon Nowland and nine of the cafeteria staff helped pay for and serve the 17 bus drivers and Allie Biggs, Director of Transportation. The fifth grade patrol students cheered the bus drivers and clapped as they entered the cafeteria. During the meal, the students presented each driver with decorated plants

donated by G. Austin Raulerson, Vocational Teacher for the handicapped children at Gove. Those bus drivers honored included: Alberta Seymour, Earnestine Centscale, Lucille Henry, Della Police, Willie W. Rivers, Deloris Davis, Delores Chastine,

Kathryn Veal, Janie Rowe, Mattie Lealand, Ida Reel Mann, Versie Lee, Mary Barfield, Joyce Singletary (bus aide), Betty Peterson, Patricia Walker (bus aide), Matie Bethea, Coordinator I and Allie Biggs, Director of Transportation.

Star student chosen

BELLE GLADE—Jerry Ingram has been named the Star Student of the Month at Christian Day School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ingram of Pahokee and is in the eighth grade at Christian Day.

This year he is a member of the

Crusader Choir, is on the honor roll and is a participant in the school's Academic Games. Already, Jerry has placed first in the individual competition for Linguistics.

He is very involved at his church and is not only assistant youth

director, but is also in charge of the Children's workshop services on Sunday mornings.

Jerry is also a part time evangelist and when there are opportunities for him to preach—Jerry enthusiastically accepts. Already, he has completed two of the four Bible courses required to become a licensed lay-minister.

"I owe it all to the Lord," says Jerry and is excited about his future as a full-time evangelist.

School sets open house

PAHOKEE—Open House will be held at East Lake Middle School on Monday, Nov. 15 at 7 p.m. Mrs. Eugenia Jones, principal, said a general meeting to discuss school programs will be held and report cards will also be distributed following the meeting.

Child services offered by Gove

BELLE GLADE — A child service program is being offered at Gove Elementary for school age children from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. for working parents.

For further information call Joe Perry at 996-4985 or 996-7903 or Bertha Wilson at 996-6901.

Gove Elementary is also offering fruit trees and other plants for sale in the Exceptional Child Education Center at Gove.

Calendar

PAIM BEACH JUNIOR COLLEGE-GLADES THE THEATER

CONTINUING EDUCATION
Nov. 6 - A workshop on BASIC EKG for nurses certification. Every Saturday through Dec. 4.
Nov. 9 - BASIC INVESTMENTS A workshop on investing taught by Thomas Altman of E.F. Hutton. The class will be structured to the needs of the people attending. Tuesday evenings from 7 to 9 p.m. is \$3.
For more information, call the registrar's office at 996-3635.

THE THEATER
SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE at the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center this week.
Asolo's "Angel Street" is to play here at 8 p.m. Nov. 3. The author, Patrick Hamilton, described the play by saying he has gone all out to write a horror play to make the flesh creep.
Tickets for the performance are priced at \$7 and reserved seats are available. The troupe is scheduled to make 15 appearances in Florida and appearances in four other states.
Theodore Lettvin will be playing the piano on Nov. 11, performing Moussorgsky's "Pictures at an Exhibition" and other works at 7:30 p.m.
Tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for children or students.
"First Lady" will be produced by the Performing Arts Repertory Theatre from New York on Nov. 12 for students in the Glades.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4
Christian Businessmen's Fellowship--6:30 a.m., Holiday Inn, Belle Glade.
Gove Elementary--Child Care Program. All week, every week, 7 to 9 a.m. and 3 to 6 p.m. for school age children.
Kiwanis Club--noon, Holiday Inn, Belle Glade.
Pahokee Rotary Club--noon, Elks Lodge.
Belle Glade Civitan Club--7:30 p.m., Country Club.
Bingo--8 p.m., American Legion Hall, 101 S.E. 1st St. Belle Glade.
Elks--8 p.m., Pahokee Elks Lodge.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5
Alcoholics Anonymous--8:20 p.m., St. John's Episcopal Church, Belle Glade.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6
Glades Area Cancer Crusade Committee--12:15 p.m., Kendra Perkins Office, 205 SE Third Ave., Bldg. D, South Bay.
Bar-B-Q and Rummage Sale--8 a.m. to 1 p.m., Live Band, 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., American Legion Post 20, Belle Glade. \$4.50 per plate. Take out available.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7
ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8
Pahokee Lions Club--noon, Lions Clubhouse.
Rainbow Girls--7:30 p.m., Masonic Lodge.
Belle Glade City Commission--8 p.m., City Hall.
Alcoholics Anonymous--8:30 p.m., St. John's Episcopal Church, Belle Glade.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9
Belle Glade Rotary--12:10 p.m., Municipal Civic Center.
Earthen Vessels--11 a.m., Christian Women's Club fellowship luncheon, Pahokee Women's Club.
Pahokee Lions Club--noon, Elks Club.
Pahokee City Council--7:30 p.m., city hall.
Junior Women's Club--8 p.m., members' homes.
Overeaters Anonymous--8 p.m., Everglades Federal Community Room, Pahokee.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10
Preschool Program--11 a.m., 3-5 year olds only, Belle Glade Municipal Library.
Belle Glade Lions Club--12:15 p.m., Municipal Civic Center.
Altoon--5 p.m., St. John's Episcopal Church, Belle Glade.

Pahokee students win mask contest

PAHOKEE—A colorful contest meant awards, prizes, fun or extra effort for 30 students at East Lake Middle School. Students worked with paper mache to complete their study of faces and masks.

Activities included drawing portraits and cartoons and studying African masks," said art teacher Sharon Hearn.

Judging by Assistant Principal, David Hill, Photography by Rick Austin, EMH

teacher, and prizes donated by Royals Department Store and Burger King helped make this a special event for the new art department and Ms. Hearn.

The winning masks were worn on Halloween or displayed, according to the wishes of the winners. Winners were Scariest, "A Monster" by Corey Kitchen, grade 7; Funniest, "A Clown" by Elizabeth Fernandez, grade 7; Best Design, "Bearded Man" by

Nathaniel Smith, grade 7; and most realistic, "An African Mask" by Ellis Fuller, Grade 7.

Two additional winners

Musicians, singers needed

BELLE GLADE—Wanted 150 singers and musicians for a Christmas musical production.

James Eccles, minister of music at the St. John First Baptist Church will direct the musical "Jesus is the Light of the

World" during the Christmas holiday season.

In the October 21 edition of the Herald-Observer Dr. Miguel Tome was incorrectly identified as Dr. Jaime

For more information contact Mr. Eccles after 4 p.m. at 996-0927.

Correction

Benavides in a story on Caribbean medical students interning at Glades General Hospital.

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Lykes Palm River BACON \$1.69 1 Lb. Pkg.	Heavy Western Beef Boneless Roast SIRLOIN TIP \$2.59 LB.	Heavy Western Beef Boneless Tip SIRLOIN STEAKS \$2.79 LB.	
SALTINES 89¢ 1 Lb. box	Carling Black Label BEER \$1.79 6 Pk., 12 Oz. cans	31-Dri Paper TOWELS 2/\$1 Bg. Roll	Taco Sauce \$1.89 100 Oz.
R.C. 2 Ltr. Plastic COLA \$1.19	Libby's Cream CORN 2/89¢ 16 1/2 Oz.	Masa Harina 5 Lb. FLOUR \$1.99	Lesuer 17 Oz. EARLY PEAS 55¢
Krispy Kreme 18 Ct. Pkg. GLAZED DONUTS \$1.69	Mr. Meat 30 Gal. Capacity TRASH BAGS 79¢	Juicy Red 46 Oz. HAWAIIAN PUNCH 79¢	Diana Vegetable 112 Oz. OIL \$3.19
Borden 22 Oz. CREMORA \$1.79	Del Monte Tomato 14 Oz. CATSUP 59¢	Hershey Hot 16 Oz. COCOA MIX \$1.49	Shurtluff Cut 9 Oz. GREEN BEANS 2/\$1

History of the Everglades...

20 YEARS AGO
THE BELLE GLADE HERALD
NOVEMBER 6, 1962

Southwestern Palm Beach County voters said in no uncertain terms they were in favor of a bond issue to finance the construction of a new local hospital.

With 60 percent of the registered voters casting their ballots, the \$1.2 million bond issue passed with a 977-191 margin.

The bond would go toward paying for the construction of a 75-bed hospital which would have the capacity of being expanded to a 150-bed facility on the Belle Glade Memorial Hospital site.

More construction was already underway on what was to become the Second Street Bridge.

Police Chief Charles Goodlett was in charge of building the bridge, using city employees to perform the work.

The work was begun after the city secured a permit from the Central and South Florida Water Control District and knocked the cobwebs and moss off pilings which had been on hand for years.

With two conference games to go, the Belle Glade High football team was undefeated, looking toward the possibility of a championship.

30 YEARS AGO
THE BELLE GLADE HERALD
NOVEMBER 7, 1952

Two Glades Correctional Institution inmates kicked up their heels for several hours following

an escape but wound up being arrested for armed robbery, unarmed robbery and kidnapping.

Deputy Sheriff Gibb Gross and Police Sgt. Paul Higby said the escape attempt included the kidnapping of a prison guard, his robbery, the kidnapping and robbery of a deputy and several mad dashes in various automobiles, with pursuit by police, two deputies and highway patrolmen in two counties.

Controlled seining would continue in Lake Okeechobee at least through March 1, according to the Florida Fresh Water Fish and Game Commission, but fees would be increased.

The seining was part of a controversial program designed to improve sports fishing in the big lake, as well as other lakes in the state, but the fees paid by the commercial fishermen to support the experiment wasn't paying the way.

There was a 100 percent turnout in at least one precinct in the Glades area for the 1952 general election.

All nine voters turned out at the Shawano Village precinct, although one of the nine spoiled his ballot so only eight votes were counted.

The count, supervisor of elections said the size of the precinct was expected to balloon to 40 or 50 voters by the time of the next general election.

40 YEARS AGO
THE EVERGLADES NEWS
NOVEMBER 6, 1942

A mysterious fire destroyed a packing house and an insecticide plant, owned by W.H. Vann and Warren R. Rietz, and three refrigerated cars owned by the Fruit Growers Express.

Both buildings were covered by some insurance but both were considered to be irreplaceable at the time.

A total of \$75,000 worth of damage was estimated.

Bean farmers in the Pahokee-Canal Point area expected to be 1,500 pickers short as the harvest season loomed closer.

The growers were calling officials in Washington in an effort to find a solution to the problem of men being drafted and problems with transportation brought on by shortages of gasoline and tires.

Some weren't waiting though and Roy Vandegrift sent his son to South Carolina to recruit workers but the younger Vandegrift was arrested and charged with pirating labor.

Meanwhile, U.S. Sugar Corp. in Clewiston was being charged with holding field workers in peonage and Glades County Sheriff Jeff Wiggins was indicted for using county prisoners to work on his private farm.

That second cup of coffee for the day promised to be harder to come by with the announcement that that coffee would be rationed after Dec. 1.

Federal officials said one pound of coffee would be allowed every five weeks for anyone over the age of 15. That amounted to about a cup a day.

50 YEARS AGO
THE EVERGLADES NEWS
NOVEMBER 11, 1932

The region's bean crop was virtually ruined by flooding when as much as 22 inches of rain was reported in some parts of the Lake Okeechobee area.

November is clean up month

BELLE GLADE-The Belle Glade Beautification Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, with a proclamation signed by Mayor Thomas Altman in a joint effort are asking all business persons, home-owners and rental tenants to get involved in the November Clean-Up Campaign.

Mrs. Jewel Crane, executive secretary of the chamber said the campaign is an annual event planned by the Beautification Committee.

"We are privileged to live in the garden spot of the world and with a little effort on everybody's part we will be living in the most beautiful city in Palm Beach County," said Mrs. Crane.

All clubs, organiza-

tions, businesses, churches and schools are asked to enter a float or unit in the Beautification Parade which is scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 20.

Mrs. Crane said several local businesses are giving discounts to residents buying clean-up supplies and paint.

Stores giving the discounts are:

- Lake Hardware, 10 percent on paint and clean-up supplies.
- Cone Paint Store, 10 percent on paint and 20 percent on gallons of Bruning or Martin-Seymour paints.
- Seminole Supply, 10 percent on paint.
- Connell Hardware, 10 percent on paint.
- True Value Hardware, 10 percent on paint.

Please clip the coupons below for your discount.

Engagement announced

BELLE GLADE-Mr. Roland P. Menella of Lighthouse, N.Y., and Ms. Jan Allman of Ft. Myers, announced the engagement of their daughter Kriste J. Menella to Paul L. Kornya of L.A. Glad Miss Menella is currently employed by the Association for the Deaf in Ft. Myers.

Obituary

Funeral services for Osvaldo Villanueva, a 13-year old Belle Glade Christian Academy student were held Thursday at the Apostolic Church of Jesus Christ, with J.P. Field officiating. Osvaldo died Oct. 30 on a school outing to the Peace River near Arcadia, falling out of a canoe and drowning.

He and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enrique Villanueva, moved to Belle Glade from Monterey, Mexico three years ago, making their home at 316 N.W. Eighth St.

Besides his parents, he's survived by three brothers, Enrique, Francisco and Hector Villanueva; two sisters, Maria and Veronica Millanueva and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecilia Villanueva and Mr. and Mrs. Jose Castillo.

Burial was in the Port Mayaca Cemetery in Martin County. Mixson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Birth announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Romie M. Hart of Belle Glade announce the birth of a baby girl born Oct. 23 at Everglades Memorial Hospital. April Nicole weighed in at 7 pounds, 14 and one-half ounces. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Hart Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Garth L. Lewis, all of Belle Glade.

GED test dates

School Diploma for the new year 1983 will be given at the Glades Central Community School Annex on the evening of January 4, 5, and 6.

FOODWAY of PAHOKEE LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER Carnation Chunk LT. TUNA IN OIL \$1.29 12 1/2 Oz. Limit 1 w/coupon & \$7.50 or more food order MONEY SAVER COUPON		FOODWAY of PAHOKEE LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER Kraft GRAPE JELLY 79¢ 32 Oz. Limit 1 w/coupon & \$7.50 or more food order MONEY SAVER COUPON	
Heavy Western Beef Full Cut Bone In ROUND STEAK \$1.99 LB.		Sliced Beef LIVER 89¢ LB.	
Beef CUBED STEAKS \$2.99 LB.		Sunnyland Whole Hog SAUSAGE \$1.69 Hot or Mild 1 ROLL	
Pork Loin Assorted PORK CHOPS \$1.79 LB.		Lykes Power Pac SLICED BOLOGNA 99¢ 1 LB. PKG.	
Beef CUBED STEAKS \$2.99 LB.		Lykes American COOKED HAM \$2.49 12 Oz. Pkg	
Beef CUBED STEAKS \$2.99 LB.		Lykes Regular GRILL FRANKS \$2.99 2 lb. Pkg.	
Beef CUBED STEAKS \$2.99 LB.		Bonnie Main BREADED PATTIES \$1.39 1 lb. Pkg. Beef, Pork & Veal	
Beef CUBED STEAKS \$2.99 LB.		Frozen Turkey WINGS 59¢ LB.	
Beef CUBED STEAKS \$2.99 LB.		U.S. Ground CHUCK \$1.89 LB.	
Shurline Spears 10 Oz. BROCCOLI 2/\$1		Minute Maid 64 Oz. ORANGE JUICE \$1.09	
Shurline Mixed 10 Oz. VEGETABLES 2/\$1		Large Bunch Fresh Each BROCCOLI 69¢	
Shurline Cut 10 Oz. CORN 2/\$1		Fla's Finest White or Red GRAPEFRUIT 5/\$1	
Hungry Jack Buttermilk BISCUITS 5 Oz. 3/89¢		Florida AVOCADOES 3/\$1	
Blue Bonnet Quarters 16 Oz. MARGARINE 2/\$1		U.S. Fancy McIntosh 3 Lb. Bag APPLES 99¢	
Kraft Chunk Sharp 12 Oz. CHEDDAR CHEESE \$1.79		Georgia Sweet 5 Lb. POTATOES \$1.00	